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**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION**

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12-23-08 Please replace the Paragraph beginning on Page 1, Line <sup>14</sup>/~~15~~ with the following paragraph rewritten in amendment format:

Conventionally, a variety of types of fan units have been used. One type of fan unit has been proposed by Japanese Patent Laid-open No. ~~11-218098~~ 11-218092, in which a compact fan with a brushless compact DC motor is explained. Specifically, the fan unit is made compact to the extent of allowing the fan unit to be directly disposed on, for example, a printed wiring assembly. This fan unit has a feature that a brushless DC motor driving a fan wheel is provided as a single-phase single-winding gearing-pole type of motor provided with a non-feedback permanent magnet rotor and at least one magnet for positioning is placed to exert an influence on an activating position of the rotor.